

IN THE SPECIFICATION

Please amend the specification as follows:

Replace the paragraph spanning pages 8-9, between page 8 line 25, and page 9, line 4 of the specification with the following:

Referring now to figures 2 to 4, in a first embodiment, the filter support 23 comprises a disc with a lip 30 around its perimeter. It is the lip 30 of the filter support 23 that rests on the support ledge 22 of the cup shaped body 17 of the filter assembly 4 when the filter support 23 is positioned for use. In the centre of the support 23 is a discharge opening 31. The discharge opening 31 extends through the plane of the disc so that liquid can pass from one side of the filter support 23 to the other. One side of the filter support 22, which is uppermost in use, has a surface 32 for catching liquid passing out of the filter pad 21 in use. In this embodiment, the surface 32 slopes very slightly toward the discharge opening 31. When the disc is horizontal, as it is intended to be in use, liquid therefore flows across the surface 32 to the discharge ~~opening 26~~, opening 31.